School Meals Initiative



What is SMI?

School Meals Initiative Review

- Regulations
 - on nutrition aspects
 - on menu planning approaches
- Policies to promote healthy school meals

Goals of the Nutrition Review

- Determine level of compliance with nutrition standards
- Develop plan to continue progress towards compliance
- Provide technical assistance
- Follow-up

CFR 210.10 (a) (1)

- 210.10 What are the nutrition standards and menu planning approaches for lunches and the requirements for afterschool snacks?
 - (a) What are the general requirements?
 - (1) General nutrition requirements.

 Schools must provide nutritious and well-balanced meals to all the children they serve.

CFR 210.10 (a)(1)(i)

210.10 (a)(1)(i) Requirements for lunch. For children age 2 or older, schools must offer lunches that meet, at a minimum, the nutrition standards in paragraph (b) of this section. Compliance with the nutrition standards and the appropriate nutrient and calorie levels is determined by averaging lunches planned to be offered over a school week. Under any menu planning approach, schools must plan and produce at least enough food to meet the appropriate calorie and nutrient levels for ages/grades of the children in the school.

SMI Basics - School Week

3-7 consecutive days

 Usually is normal school week of 5 days

Basis for Nutrient Standards

 1/3 of the Recommended Dietary Allowances (RDAs) for lunches for protein, calcium, iron, vitamin A and vitamin C in the appropriate levels for ages/grades

Applicable Dietary Guidelines



DIETARY GUIDELINES FOR AMERICANS



















AIM FOR FITNESS...

- Aim for a healthy weight.
- Be physically active each day.

BUILD A HEALTHY BASE...

- Let the Pyramid guide your food choices.
- Choose a variety of grains daily, especially whole grains.
- Choose a variety of fruits and vegetables daily.
- Keep food safe to eat.

CHOOSE SENSIBLY...

- Choose a diet that is low in saturated fat and cholesterol and moderate in total fat.
- Choose beverages and foods to moderate your intake of sugars.
- Choose and prepare foods with less salt.
- If you drink alcoholic beverages, do so in moderation.



















... for good health

Production and Menu Records CFR 210.10(a)(3)

(3) Production and menu records.

School must keep production and menu records for the meals they produce. These records must show how the meals contribute to the required food components, food items or menu items every day. In addition, for lunches, these records must show how the lunches contribute to the nutrition standards in paragraph (b) of this section and the appropriate calorie and nutrient levels for the ages/grades of the children in the school(...) over the school week.

Procedures for Review

For food-based systems:

- On-Site Evaluation
 - Menu and Meal Service
 - Production Records
 - Standardized Recipes
 - Nutrition Education

Procedures for Review

For food-based systems:

- A nutrient analysis is based on documentation supplied by the SFA.
- If nutrient analysis has been done by SFA, determine if procedures were followed correctly and check source documents.

Calories and Nutrients in the Nutrient Standards

Standards are set for:

- Calories
- \leq 30% calories from total fat
- < 10% calories from saturated fat
- Protein
- Calcium
- Iron
- Vitamin A
- Vitamin C

Nutrient Standards for Required Grade Groups for Traditional Meal Pattern: Lunch

Calorie and Nutrient Levels for School Lunch (school week averages)

	Pre- School	Grades K-3	Grades 4-12	Option Grades 7-12
Energy Allowances (calories)	517	633	785	825
Total fat	1	1	1	1
Total saturated fat	2	2	2	2
Protein (g)	7	9	15	16
Calcium (mg)	267	267	370	400
Iron (mg)	3.3	3.3	4.2	4.5
Vitamin A (RE)	150	200	285	300
Vitamin C (mg)	14	15	17	18

Foot Notes

- 1 Total fat not to exceed 30 percent of calories over a school week
- 2 Saturated fat to be less than 10 percent of calories over a school week

Other Nutrients and Dietary Components Analyzed

- Cholesterol
- Dietary fiber
- > Sodium
- Carbohydrates (optional)

Reviewer will evaluate:

- variety
- menu planning principles
- portion sizes
- grain/bread servings requirement
- fruit/vegetable servings requirement

Determine Compliance with Nutrition Standards

- Provide 1/3 RDA of selected nutrients for lunch
- Provide 1/3 lunchtime energy allowance
- Dietary Guidelines especially:
 - -30% or less of total calories from fat
 - less than 10% of calories from saturated fat

County- Elem (4-6) (1/3 RDA): Grade 4-12

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Sep - 6 TACO,BEEF		
	Sep - 3	Sep - 4	Sep - 5			
	Pizza, Pepp 4X6, Tony'	CHICKEN, OVEN FRIE	Ham			
	Corndog	Pork Patties, Brd. & Ck	Cheese	TUNA SALAD		
	California Blend Vegeta	Beans, Green Cnd.	PB & J Cups	Ham & Cheese Sandwi		
	Tossed Salad	Tossed Salad Tator Tots		QUICK BAKED POTA		
	Canteloupe	PEACHES				
	Fruit/Vegetable Bar	Fruit/Vegetable Bar	Ham & Cheese Sandwi	BROCCOLI,raw CAULIFLOWER,raw SALSA,COMMODITY PEARS Fruit/Vegetable Bar Fruit/Vegetable Bar Add		
	Fruit/Vegetable Bar Add	Fruit/Vegetable Bar Add	Fruit/Vegetable Bar			
	Milk Variety - Johnson	ROLLS	Fruit/Vegetable Bar Add			
		Milk Variety - Johnson	Iron Kids Bread			
			Hamburger Bun			
			Milk Variety - Johnson	Iron Kids Bread		
			PEANUT BUTTER CO	Milk Variety - Johnson		
	Target	Target	Target	Targe		
	Cals 555 71%	Cals 668 85%	Cals 675 86%	Cals 671 85%		
	Chol 42 Mg	Chol 90 Mg	Chol 66 Mg	Chol 61 Mg		
	Sodium. 1495 Mg Fiber 5.2 G	Sodium. 705 Mg Fiber 5.7 G	Sodium. 1349 Mg Fiber 5.5 G	Sodium. 715 Mg Fiber 9.5 G		
	Iron 3.7 Mg 88%	Iron 4.8 Mg 113%	Iron 2.2 Mg 51%	Iron 5.1 Mg 120%		
	Calcium 616.8 Mg 167%	Calcium 391.6 Mg 106%	Calcium 508.1 Mg 137%	Calcium 507.4 Mg 137%		
	Vit A 685 RE 240%	Vit A 449 RE 157%	Vit A 369 RE 130%	Vit A 371 RE 130%		
	Vit C 41.9 Mg 241%	Vit C 18.5 Mg 106%	Vit C 19.5 Mg 112%	Vit C 41.9 Mg 241%		
	Prot 27.7G 20.0%Cal	Prot 36.7G 21.9%Cal	Prot 24.4G 14.4%Cal	Prot 28.8G 17.2%Ca		
	Carb 69.3G 50.0%Cal	Carb 77.8G 46.6%Cal	Carb 69.9G 41.4%Cal	Carb 89.4G 53.3%Ca		
	T.Fat 19.4G 31.5%Cal	T.Fat 24.0G 32.3%Cal	T.Fat 31.9G 42.6%Cal	T.Fat 23.8G 31.9%Ca		
	S.Fat 7.8G 12.6%Cal	S.Fat 6.4G 8.6%Cal	S.Fat 12.6G 16.8%Cal	S.Fat 7.9G 10.6%Ca		

				% of				% of	
	Average		Target	Target		Average		Calories	Target
Calories	642		785	82%	Protein	29.39	G	18.31%	14.56
Cholesterol	65	Mg			Carbohyd	76.60	G	47.71%	
Sodium	1066	Mg			Tot. Fat	24.78	G	34.72%	<30.00%
Fiber	6.48	G			Sat. Fat	8.68	G	12.16%	<10.00%
Iron	3.94	Mg	4.23	93%					
Calcium	505.97	Mg	370.44	137%					
Vitamin A	468	RE	285	164%					
Vitamin C	30.48	Mg	17.42	175%					

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Sep 3, 2002 thru Sep 6, 2002 Spreadsheet

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		Mg	Mg	Ma	Ma	Ma	Ma	Ma	Ma	Mg	G	Mg	Mg	RE	Mg	G	G	G	T. Fat	G	S. Fat
	Cals	Cholst	Sodm	Fiber	Iron	Calcm	Vit-A	Vit-C	Protn	Carb	T-Fat	% Cals	S-Fat	% Cals							
Tue - 09/03/2002	555	42	1495	5.19	3.74	616.80	685	41.91	27.72	69.30	19.42	31.51%	7.76	12.59%							
Wed - 09/04/2002	668	90	705	5.72	4.80	391.57	449	18.54	36.65	77.79	23.97	32.29%	6.42	8.64%							
Thu - 09/05/2002	675	66	1349	5.49	2.17	508.11	369	19.51	24.35	69.87	31.91	42.56%	12.62	16.83%							
Fri - 09/06/2002	671	61	715	9.53	5.07	507.39	371	41.95	28.84	89.42	23.81	31.92%	7.92	10.63%							
Weighted Average	642	65	1066	6.48	3.94	505.97	468	30.48	29.39	76.60	24.78	34.72%	8.68	12.16%							

Nutrient	Menu AVG	% of Cals	Target	% of Target	Miss Data	Shortfall	Error Messages (if any)	
Calories	642		785	82%		143	Correction Required - Calories are Low	
Cholesterol (Mg)	65		0					
Sodium (Mg)	1066		0					
Fiber (G)	6.48		0.00					
Iron (Mg)	3.94		4.23	93%		0.29	Correction Required - Iron is Low	
Calcium (Mg)	505.97		370.44	137%				
Vitamin A (RE)	468		285	164%				
Vitamin C (Mg)	30.48		17.42	175%				
Protein (G)	29.39	18.31%	14.56	202%				
Carbohydrate (G)	76.60	47.71%	0.00					.,
Total Fat (G)	24.78	34.72%	<30.00				Correction Required - Total Fat too High	1
Saturated Fat (G)	8.68	12.16%	<10.00				Correction Required - Sat. Fat too High	

Weighted Analysis

Gives more weight to popular choices selected by students when choices or offer versus serve is used.

Weighted Nutrient Analysis

Entree Items Pizza	Actual Servings Planned 200	Data Entry Servings Planned 200	Nutrient Composition 66.7%
Baked chicken	50	50	16.7%
Chef's salad	50	50	16.7%
Total	300	300	100%